NORMAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION MINUTES

October 22, 2012

The Norman Human Rights Commission of the City of Norman, Cleveland County, State of Oklahoma, met in the City Manager's Conference Room located at 201 W. Gray Street on October 22, 2012, at 5:30 p.m., and notice and agenda of the meeting were duly posted 24 hours prior to the beginning of the meeting.

PRESENT:

Commissioners Kay Ham, Jose Dela Cruz, Mary Drywater,

Tamara Pullin, Robert Ruiz and Lisa Schmidt

ABSENT:

Commissioners Marjaneh Seirafi-Pour, Teresa Turner and

Cheryl Wattley

STAFF PRESENT:

Carol Coles

OTHERS PRESENT:

None

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Item 2, being:

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA OF THE OCTOBER 22, 2012, MEETING.

Commissioner Dela Cruz moved to approve the agenda of the October 22, 2012, meeting of the Norman Human Rights Commission, which motion was duly seconded by Commissioner Schmidt, and the question being approving the agenda of the October 22, 2012, meeting of the Norman Human Rights Commission, a vote was taken with the following result:

YEAS:

Commissioners Ham, Dela Cruz, Drywater, Pullin, Ruiz and

Schmidt

NAYES:

None

The Chair declared the motion carried; and the agenda of the October 22, 2012, meeting of the Noman Human Rights Commission was approved.

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Item 3, being:

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE JULY 23, 2012, NORMAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION MEETING.

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Commissioner Pullin moved that the minutes of the July 23, 2012, Human Rights Commission meeting be approved, which motion was duly seconded by Commissioner Dela Cruz;

Items submitted for the record

1. Norman Human Rights Commission minutes of July 23, 2012

and the question being upon approving the minutes of the July 23, 2012 meeting, a vote was taken with the following result:

YEAS:

Commissioners Ham, Dela Cruz, Drywater, Pullin, Ruiz and

Schmidt

NAYES:

None

The Chair declared the motion carried; and the minutes of the July 23, 2012, meeting were approved.

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Item 4, being:

DISCUSSION OF FUTURE INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY DISCUSSIONS.

Commissioner Schmidt reported on the Inclusive Community Discussion to be held with the Muslim community. The tentative date is November 29th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The location is Masjid An-nur Mosque located at 420 E. Lindsey Street. The suggested moderators and recorders could be National Issues Forum members or Zenia Dialogue Fellows.

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Item 5, being:

FAREWELL TO COMMISSIONER RUIZ.

The Commission bid farewell to Commissioner Ruiz.

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Item 6 being:

MISCELLANEOUS DISCUSSION.

The Commission will meet on November 26th to determine the Norman Human Rights Award recipient.

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Item 7 being:

ADJOURNMENT.

Commissioner Ruiz moved that the October 22, 2012, meeting of the Norman Human Rights Commission be adjourned, which motion was duly seconded by Commissioner Schmidt; the question being upon adjourning the October 22, 2012, meeting of the Norman Human Rights Commission, a vote was taken with the following result:

YEAS:

Commissioners Ham, Dela Cruz, Drywater, Pullin, Ruiz and Schmidt

NAYES:

None

The Chair declared the motion carried; and the October 22, 2012, meeting of the Norman Human Rights Commission was adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

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